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HAVANA, NOV. 13 (AP)—CUBAN SECURITY OFFICIALS SAID TODAY THEY HAVE SMASHED AN ATTEMPT TO SABOTAGE THE COPPER MINES OF MATAHAMBRE AND CAPTURED A MAN THEY CALLED THE PRINCIPAL CHIEF OF THE (U.S.) CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY IN CUBA.

RADIO HAVANA IDENTIFIED THE CAPTIVE LEADER AS MIGUEL ANGEL CRESPO, ONCE AN ARMY OFFICER UNDER DICTATOR FULGENCIO BATISTA. IT SAID TWO GROUPS OF SABOTEURS LANDED NEAR MATAHAMBRE, ON CUBA'S WESTERN TIP, WITH A HALF TON OF WEAPONS. IT CALLED THEM CIA AGENTS.

THE MINING CENTER IS 20 MILES NORTHWEST OF PINAR DEL RIO, CAPITAL OF PINAR DEL RIO PROVINCE. IT IS LINKED BY CABLEWAY WITH THE GULF OF MEXICO COAST. THIS CABLEWAY WAS DESCRIBED AS ONE OF THE TARGETS OF THE SABOTEURS.

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